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ASSEMBLIES OF A NATURAL-GAS COMPRESSION STATION

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AND REVOCATION OF PRIOR POWERS**

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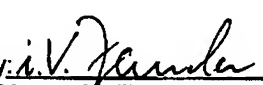
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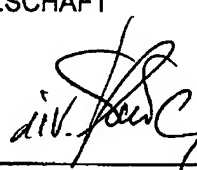
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